

**MDES**  
**Increasing Employment in Mississippi**

**Top 25 Occupations by Average Annual Wage**  
**Twin Districts WIA**  
**May 2005 Panel**

	<b>SOC Code</b>	<b>SOC Title</b>	<b>Employment (1)</b>	<b>Average Hourly</b>	<b>Average Annual</b>	<b>Entry Hourly</b>	<b>Entry Annual</b>	<b>Experienced Hourly</b>	<b>Experienced Annual</b>
1	29-1064	Obstetricians and Gynecologists	30	\$92.22	\$191,820	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	29-1067	Surgeons	N/A	\$89.08	\$185,290	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
3	29-1065	Pediatricians, General	N/A	\$78.79	\$163,890	\$56.53	\$117,590	\$89.92	\$187,040
4	29-1063	Internists, General	90	\$77.64	\$161,490	\$61.23	\$127,360	\$85.84	\$178,560
5	29-1199	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners, All Other	N/A	\$77.01	\$160,170	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
6	29-1021	Dentists, General	250	\$74.64	\$155,250	\$49.43	\$102,810	\$87.24	\$181,470
7	29-1062	Family and General Practitioners	560	\$71.32	\$148,340	\$41.86	\$87,070	\$86.04	\$178,970
8	19-1012	Physicists	70	\$69.11	\$143,750	\$38.89	\$80,890	\$84.22	\$175,180
9	29-1066	Psychiatrists	40	\$63.20	\$131,460	\$34.70	\$72,180	\$77.45	\$161,100
10	29-1061	Anesthesiologists	20	\$61.14	\$127,180	\$31.83	\$66,200	\$75.80	\$157,670
11	29-1069	Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	150	\$55.79	\$116,040	\$34.46	\$71,680	\$66.45	\$138,230
12	11-1011	Chief Executives	1,650	\$49.96	\$103,910	\$20.52	\$42,680	\$64.68	\$134,530
13	11-9121	Natural Sciences Managers	150	\$45.32	\$94,260	\$33.56	\$69,800	\$51.20	\$106,500
14	29-1041	Optometrists	50	\$44.08	\$91,690	\$34.67	\$72,110	\$48.79	\$101,480
15	29-1051	Pharmacists	610	\$40.75	\$84,770	\$28.99	\$60,300	\$46.64	\$97,000
16	53-2011	Airline Pilots, Copilots, and Flight Engineers	50	N/A	\$78,720	N/A	\$52,480	N/A	\$91,840
17	23-1011	Lawyers	1,000	\$37.74	\$78,500	\$13.45	\$27,980	\$49.89	\$103,760
18	19-2042	Geoscientists, Except Hydrologists and Geographers	230	\$37.61	\$78,220	\$27.49	\$57,170	\$42.67	\$88,750
19	17-2011	Aerospace Engineers	110	\$37.37	\$77,720	\$27.19	\$56,550	\$42.46	\$88,310
20	17-2072	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	300	\$37.00	\$76,960	\$28.37	\$59,000	\$41.31	\$85,930
21	11-9199	Managers, All Other	330	\$35.74	\$74,340	\$23.59	\$49,070	\$41.82	\$86,980
22	11-3049	Human Resources Managers, All Other	70	\$35.35	\$73,530	\$24.09	\$50,100	\$40.98	\$85,240
23	17-2061	Computer Hardware Engineers	10	\$34.59	\$71,940	\$26.67	\$55,470	\$38.54	\$80,170
24	19-2021	Atmospheric and Space Scientists	20	\$34.50	\$71,750	\$26.65	\$55,440	\$38.42	\$79,910
25	19-2099	Physical Scientists, All Other	220	\$34.07	\$70,860	\$24.68	\$51,330	\$38.76	\$80,620

Footnotes for May 2005 Occupational Employment and Wage estimates

**(1) =** Estimates for detailed occupations do not sum to the totals because the totals include occupations not shown separately. Estimates do not include self-employed workers.

**(N/A) =** Estimates not available.

**SOC =** Standard Occupational Classification